

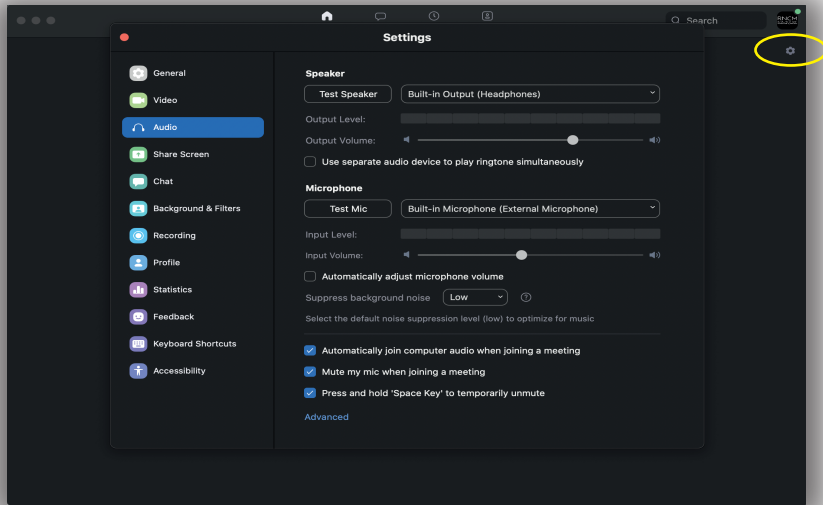


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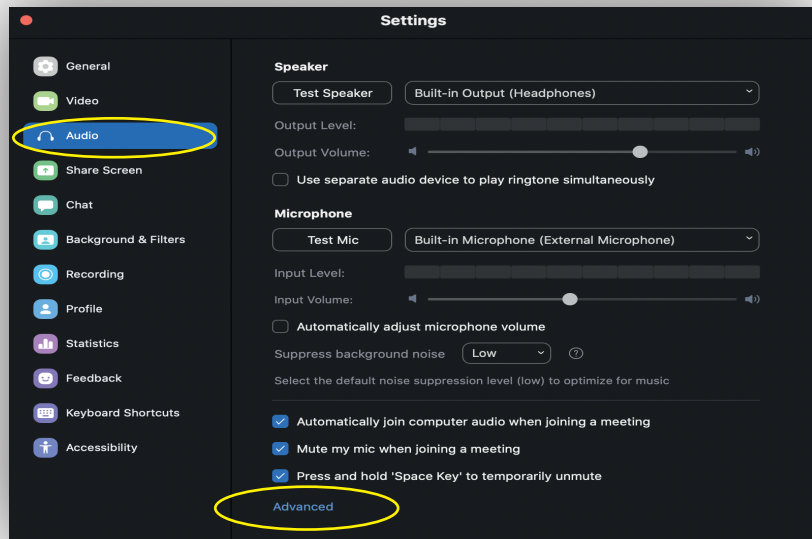
Advice to optimize audio
quality for your remote
music lessons

Step 1

In Zoom go to **Settings**



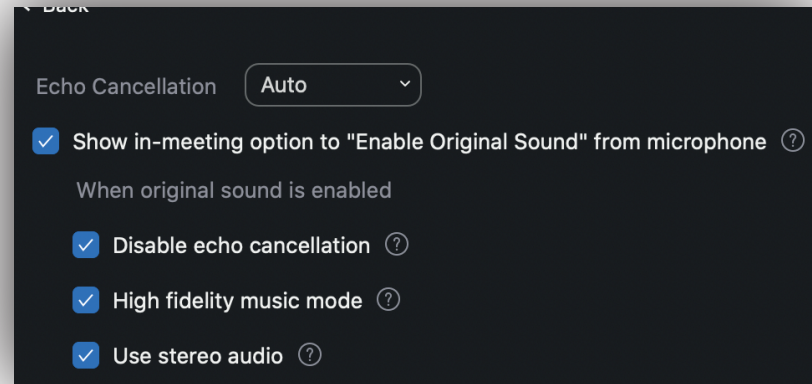
Then **Audio Settings** and go to **Advanced** button



Step 2

Tick the following options

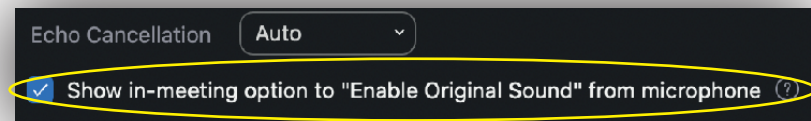
- Disable echo cancellation
- High fidelity music mode
- Use stereo audio



Leave Echo Cancellation on **Auto**.

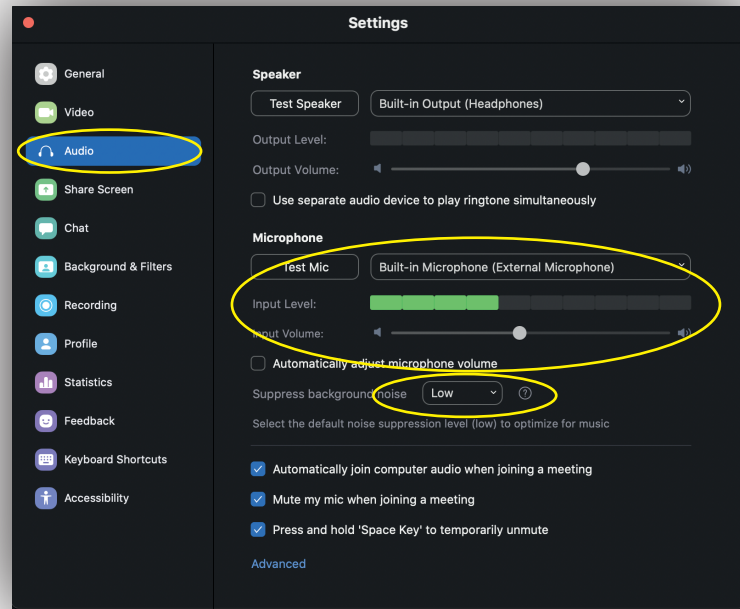
Step 3

Also make sure the Show in-meeting option to "**Enable Original Sound**" from microphone is ticked



Step 4

In the **Audio Settings** you need to set your **Input Volume** of your microphone

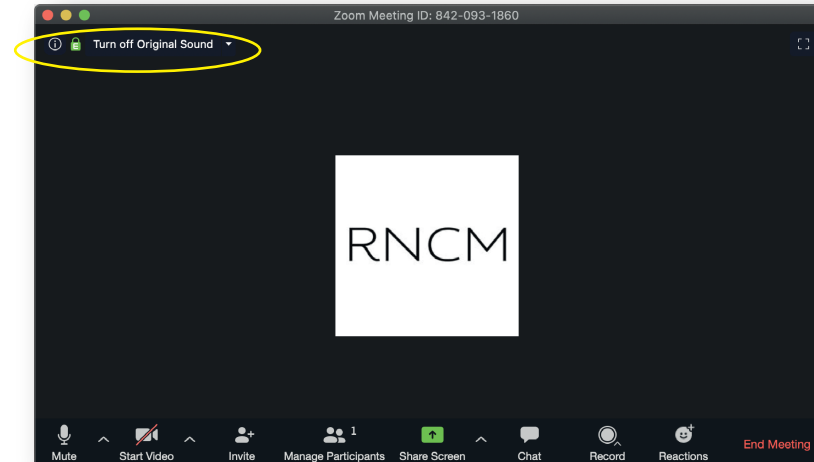


Make sure **Automatically adjust microphone volume** is unticked and set "Suppress background noise" is set to **Low**

You'll see the **Input Level Bar**, Play the loudest you would normally in a class and adjust the **Input Volume**, so the level doesn't peak.

Step 5

Now when you are in a meeting you'll see the **Turn on/off Original Sound button** in the top left



Here is a video with more information about improving the audio, such as using an external microphone and placement etc.

[Click for Video](#)

Additional useful information

You can avoid overloading your laptop by standing off-axis, rather than playing directly into the microphone.

Should you wish to take your audio one step further then we can recommend the following USB microphone – no interface needed.

[Click to see Microphone](#)

[How to schedule a Zoom meeting](#)

[Click for video](#)

If you want to give you some distance from your phone/tablet/laptop it might make sense to use a headphone extension.

[Click to see recomended extension](#)

You can check to see how you're coming across by starting a Zoom meeting with just yourself and then recording it

[Click here to see how to record your Zoom meeting](#)

If you need any more advice about using Zoom for lessons, please contact soundandvideo@rncm.ac.uk